

CONFIDENTIAL

OPERATIONS GROUP FILE

← M.C. - Islamabad

B

75. LOGNOTE - Executive and Planning Staff, 20 June 1980

[redacted] To update the information I had given [redacted] on Wednesday, I called him on the green phone yesterday to tell him that we have gotten the go-ahead in Islamabad. I also informed him that the Embassy is now proposing the rental, at FBIS expense, of separate premises for our installation, a cost which we had not anticipated. I told him that if everything goes as planned we will not have funds with which to pay rental costs. He then said that he had raised the matter of the extra \$178K in Muslim World funds at yesterday's dry run for the Comptroller's meeting, saying that it appeared our equipment costs were going to be higher than we had anticipated and that we might need the \$178K and, therefore, that he would like to see that money left available for possible FBIS use. He said that there were no objections voiced to his suggestion. He reiterated to me, however, that if we are going to need the money we are going to have to act on it soon. He said that at the meeting he also raised the matter of the \$1 million cut made by CIB in our FY 81 Muslim World funds.

cc: AD/FBIS, C/Ops, AC/AG, AC/Prod, A/Admin, C/DRD, C/EEPS, C/B&F

Derivative Cl By [redacted]
 Review on 20 Jun '80
 Derived From C9a3.3
 Paragraph classified
 CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL